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Application # 09/804,385

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After review of the above application, the applicant believes that an over payment of extension of time fees were paid on 11/17/04, and requests a refund of 2 months extension of time fee.

Previously, an extension of time fee for 1 month was files along with the response to the final office action on 9/18/04. An advisory action was then received. An RCE was subsequently filed and included the RCE fee and an additional three months extension of time (\$ 490.00 small entity). Upon reviewing the rules for filing an RCE (37 CFR 1.114), which detail the requirements for submission of an RCE, they state that an RCE shall include the RCE submission and RCE fee, and be sent prior to the abandonment of the application. Since the previous time extension was paid, and the RCE fee was paid prior to abandonment, I believe that I overpaid 2 months extension \$490.00 - \$55.00 = \$435.00. Please refund \$435.00 to me at the following address.

Thank You.

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